



Three Options...

- **Given Three Basing, Staging Conditions:**
 - Robust
 - Reduced
 - Unilateral

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“Rough” Definitions...

- **Robust**
 - Simultaneous introduction of all lines of operation
 - Simultaneous attack of target sets within each line
- **Reduced**
 - Near simultaneous introduction of all lines of operation
 - Sequential attack of target sets within each line
- **Unilateral**
 - Sequential introduction of lines of operation
 - Sequential attack of target sets within each line

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Option 1 -- "Robust" Troop List...



Generated Start

- OEF ISR assets
- OSW, ONW, Kuwait Brigade Combat Team
- OEF air assets
- 3 CVBGs (2 in Arabian Gulf, 1 in Med)
- Air Assault Division in Oman
- APS-5Q Equipment in Kuwait
- JSOTF in Kuwait
- Bombers at Diego Garcia
- Global Power
- TLAM shooters
- MEB afloat and 2 MEUs
- CJSOTF (CRE) in Qatar

Add Over Time

- AEF in Saudi Arabia / Qatar
- APS-5Q fly in element
- 2 CVBGs
- MPSRON 2 / APS-3
- Coalition forces
- Additional heavy division
- Corps C2

Attack Aircraft: 260
Attack Helos: 104
Personnel: 105K
Tanks: 196

Attack Aircraft: 412
Attack Helos: 264
Personnel: 238K
Tanks: 546

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Robust Coalition Support Assumptions...



| Country | Basing | Overflight | Forces |
|---------|--------|------------|--------|
| Kuwait | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| Bahrain | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| Qatar | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| UAE | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| Oman | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| KSA | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| Jordan | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Turkey | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| UK | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

✓ = Full Support

— = Some Support

X = No Support / Opposition

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Option 2 -- "Reduced" Troop List...



Generated Start

- OEF ISR assets (minus KSA)
- OSW (Kuwait only), ONW, Kuwait Brigade Combat Team
- OEF air assets
(minus offensive strikes from KSA / Oman)
- 3 CVBGs (2 in NAG, 1 in Med)
- Air Assault Division in Oman
- APS-5Q Equipment in Kuwait
- JSOTF in Kuwait
- Bombers at Diego Garcia
- Global Power
- TLAM shooters
- MEB afloat and 2 MEUs
- CJSOTF (CRE) in Qatar

Add Over Time

- APS-5Q fly in element
- 2 CVBGs
- MPSRON 2 / APS-3
- Coalition forces
- Additional heavy division
- Corps C2

Attack Aircraft: 260
Attack Helos: 104
Personnel: 105K
Tanks: 196

Attack Aircraft: 412
Attack Helos: 264
Personnel: 234K
Tanks: 546

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Reduced Coalition Support Assumptions...



| Country | Basing | Overflight | Forces |
|---------|--------|------------|--------|
| Kuwait | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Bahrain | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Qatar | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| UAE | — | ✓ | X |
| Oman | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| KSA | — | — | X |
| Jordan | — | ✓ | — |
| Turkey | — | ✓ | — |
| UK | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

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Option 3 -- "Unilateral" Troop List...



Generated Start

- OEF ISR assets(in Kuwait)
- OSW (Kuwait only), Kuwait Brigade Combat Team
- 3 CVBGs (2 in NAG, 1 in Med)
- Air Assault Division in Oman
- APS-5Q Equipment in Kuwait
- JSOTF in Kuwait
- Global Power
- TLAM shooters
- MEB afloat and 2 MEUs
- CJSOTF (CRE) in Kuwait

Add Over Time

- APS-5Q fly in element
- 2 CVBGs
- MPSRON 2 / APS-3
- Coalition forces
- Additional heavy division
- Corps C2

Attack Aircraft: 260
Attack Helos: 104
Personnel: 105K
Tanks: 196

Attack Aircraft: 338
Attack Helos: 264
Personnel: 225K
Tanks: 546

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Unilateral Coalition Support Assumptions...



| Country | Basing | Overflight | Forces |
|---------|--------|------------|--------|
| Kuwait | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Bahrain | — | ✓ | X |
| Qatar | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| UAE | — | ✓ | X |
| Oman | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| KSA | — | — | X |
| Jordan | — | ✓ | X |
| Turkey | — | ✓ | X |
| UK | ✓ | ✓ | — |

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Some Comparisons...

| | Generated Start | Robust | Reduced | Unilateral |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Attack Aircraft | 260 ¹ | 412 ⁵ | 412 | 338 ¹⁰ |
| Attack Helos | 104 ² | 264 ⁶ | 264 | 264 |
| Personnel | 105K ³ | 238K ⁷ | 234K ⁹ | 225K ¹¹ |
| Tanks | 196 ⁴ | 546 ⁸ | 546 | 546 |

Weeks \ Weeks \ Months

Notes:

1. Attack aircraft only, including bombers. No ISR, C2, support aircraft, or strategic lift
2. 101st attack brigade (72), attack company in Kuwait (8), and MEB/MEU (24)
3. Navy (33K), Marines (19K), Air Force (20K), SOF (3K), Army (26K), and headquarters (4K)
4. Brigade in Kuwait (116), MEB/MEU with two tank companies (22), (58) unmanned tanks in Qatar
5. Includes addition of 2 X CWG and an AEF
6. Based on two heavy division aviation brigades (2X48), 101st/corps attack brigades (2X72), and 24 for two MEU/MEB.
7. Based on Navy (50K), Marines (35K), Air Force (25K), SOF (4K), Army (120K), and headquarters (4K)
8. Army tank battalions X 9 (466), Marine tank battalion X 1 (58), MEB/MEUs with 2 X tank company (22)
9. Reduction due to loss of access to PSAB; closure and movement of CAOC (4K)
10. Reduction due to loss of AEF (60) that would have deployed to Qatar and ONW (14); as well as replacement of 1 attack squadron (12) by support aircraft in Kuwait.
11. Reduction due to loss of AEF and ONW

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